

**WHEREAS**, quality health care is an important concern of the residents and citizens of Davie, Florida; and

**WHEREAS**, affordable as well as accessible medical care is essential for the well-being of all citizens; and

**WHEREAS**, physician assistants are medically trained professionals who provide comprehensive health care services and quality medical care to millions of Americans throughout this great country; and

**WHEREAS**, physician assistants nationwide have been recognized by the United States Surgeon General as national proponents of preventative health care and improved patient access to health care services; and

**WHEREAS**, physician assistants care for patients of all ages in rural towns, urban communities, and in the uniformed services; and

**WHEREAS**, the physician assistant profession continues to grow in number and in public respect; and

**WHEREAS**, physician assistants increasingly are being recognized as important members of the health care delivery team, working closely with their supervising physicians to enhance the quality of medical care in the United States and abroad; and

**WHEREAS**, physician assistants around this country and in our great state will celebrate October 6th as National Physician Assistant Day; and

**WHEREAS**, the physician assistants in Davie, Florida deserve our heartfelt thanks for the medical care they provide throughout the year.

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT PROCLAIMED** that the Mayor and Town Council of the Town of Davie hereby proclaim October 6, 2002 in the Town of Davie as;

### **PHYSICIAN ASSISTANT DAY**

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, I have hereunto set my hand this 2nd day of October, 2002.

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**Harry Venis, Mayor**